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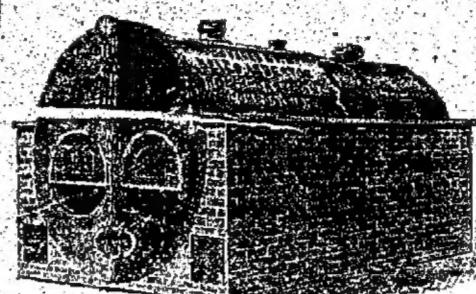
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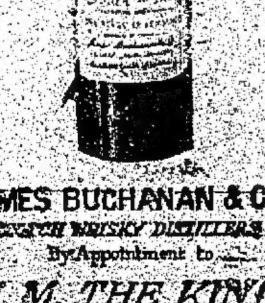
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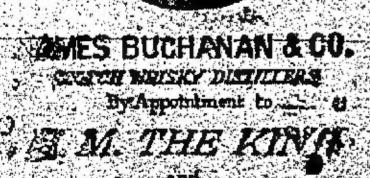
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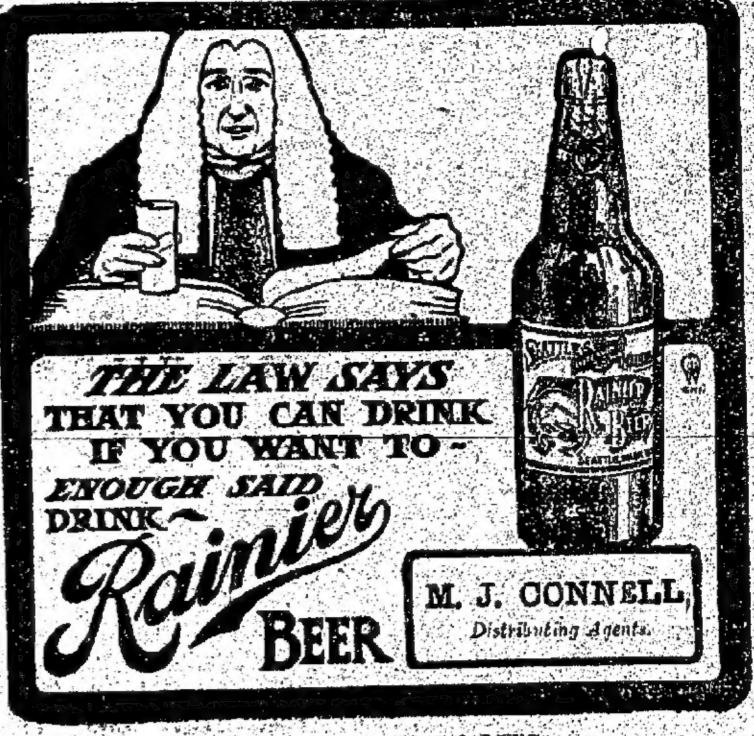
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tances and that this is why so few have

praised the latter. I wish to praise them because all friends have once been acquainttance, and I would not miss one hour of their memory; and also because some sequaintances have never been so foolish or so unkind as to become my friends, Were I to go no farther I should surely have made clear their charms. For who on the one hand, does not look back some times with delight, and especially at seasons when friendship is much occupied with the sombro deeps of life-who does not look back, and remember afresh and with pleasure the moments when like a first glass, our friends, with all their best qualities unknown, and yet not unguessed at, were tasted careless. ly and with the palate quite unsoiled and in no need of the clives of charity? What walks, what talks, what pipes, what books, are thus recalled ! And what, to speak more closely of the sequaintance pure and simple, does not remember some, it may be in childhood, with whom intimacy began to flower, and then Death or some less perfect destr yer intervened, and slit the thirspun life, and gave us a withered rose to keep 1376 for ever? Then, too, there is the man whom we always remember with affection because he never reappeared. With all of these, especial ythelast, there is always much. possible that is not possible with friends, We did not know them long enough to egotistical indulgences in letters and conversations of which, with friends, we someand know futility. With them, too, we can always stand on ceremony-no mean of being grateful or of receiving gratitude, along with those little elegant vanities which friendship cannot away with. Who could dare to enter in his diary concerning a friend, as certainly we may of an acquaintance, such a thing as this (by a friend of John Aubrey's, I think) : Gave - five shillings to make him happy ! That modest purchase reminds me of the advantage of having what are called disreputable acquaintances. I have had such whose memory is a possession for ever, and others, who will outlast some friends. They help us to a fit estimate of our importance and our powers. There is -the peacher, who regards me simply as a moderate fisher manand a fool at wiring a jack. There is the farmer, who remembers me solely because I nearly broke my head with his flail. Some of them even discover powers which our friends never saw. And this recalls in to my mind a fine Celt with whom I once shortened a few miles at dawn in Wales. It was a rough, wet night, and I stepped

into the shelter of a bridge to light a pipe, and as I paused to see if it was dawn yet. I leard a noise which I thought was the breathing of a cow. My fishing rod struck the bridge, the noise ceased, and I heard something move heavily. I confeas that my pips went out, when, without warning, a fine, joyous, fighting bar tone voice rose upand shook the bridge with the hymn-

Through all the changing scenes of life. In trouble and in joy, the praises of my God shall still

My heart and tongue employ. many starlings taking flight, and laughed. I lie a march and held it to his face, and saw a fair-skinned, high-cheekboned face. wrinkled like a walnut, with much black of CHESAN BROTHERS, and is prepared with the Goods they ship, and the Colonial hair about it, that yet did not conteal a straight, flat, elequent mouth. He imitated me, and laughed nowin. - I learned that he had played many parts before he took to the road. He would not confess where he had been to school; but his one touch of melancholy came when, to show that he had once known Latin, he began togrepent the passage from the Aneid beginning : Est in conspectu Tenedos. He could not 20 on after At Capys. But he recalled that he had been caned for the same inability, and laughed once more. Every incident remembered added to his obserfulness. Everything human had. his praise-General Buller in particular. I cannot say the same of the divine. His conversation raised my spirits, and the bleared and dripping dawn can have lit up. few less melancholy men than we. As we

> he resumbled me. He went off singing, in Welsh, something not at all like a hymn, to that fine by nin une, Ebenezer." Once we entertained a god unawares, As we sat one winter night, in a mood at one with all men, a dark, grim bearded man, in rags, knocked at the door and ask. ed for food. Not caring to acknowledge to one another that our philanthropy had been a sensation, we brought him to the fire. He filled his pipe, put his feet on a projecting log, and slept. His clothes and heard, stiff with snow, steamed, dripped, and became stiff with heat. His face turned to set fair and a giorious crimson.

parted, be said that life is a plagur thing,

but I don't often remember it, and added,

apologetically, that be always had been a

cheerful and couldn't be miserable."

and did me the honeur of saying that in this:

egis was not more splendid than he and the fire, Huc tauc ignipoteus cielo descendit As no awoke, he merely said that it was

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HONGKONG SHARE MARKET,

In their weekly share report, dated 34th March, Messrs Benjamin, Kelly and Potts state :-

Since our last report, the market has continued steady, the special feature of the week being a substantial rise in the quotation for China Sugars.

Banks, -The appreciation in the value of Hongkong and Shanghai, Banks still continues, and sales have been effected at \$7521 and \$755. The London quotation is £76 10/. Nationals are firm with buyers

Marine Insurances, - Contons are steady at \$285. China Traders remain at \$59. Unions are still quoted at \$695, and North Chinas continue on offer at Tls. .05.

Fire Insurances .- China Fires have been sold at \$86. Hongkong Fires have further depreciated to \$310.

Shipping .- Further . transactions Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboats at \$265 have taken place. Indo-Chinas have reacted and may be obtained at \$123. China and Manilas have been dealt in at \$211, and Douglas Steamships are unchanged at \$35. Star Forries remain weak at \$371 for the old, and at \$79 for the new shares. Shell Transports have dropped to 21/- and are without business.

Refineries. - China Sugars have considerably improved and close in request at \$224 ex the final dividend of \$15 paid to-day. Luzone can probably be placed

Mining .- Chinese Engineering are wantcd as Tils 7.30. Roubs are steady at \$4. Docks, Wharferend Goldman .- Hongkong and Whampon Docks have declined to \$205 at which rate hares are in demand. Farnhams are firmer and have been negotiated at Tls. 145 and Tis. 146. Kowloon Wharfs have hardened and are enquired for at \$1(7h., Hongkew Wharfs have further risen and can be placed at Ills. 1575.

Lands, Hotels and Enddings .- Hongkong

Lands have been the medium of further business at \$1271 and close with more enquiries. Shanghai Lands are offering at Tie, 115. Hongkong Hotels have changed hands at \$145. Humphrays' Estate have been placed at \$12 and are still wanted. Cotton Mills .- Ewos have advanced to Tls, 35; and there are buyers of Internationals at Tls. 25%. Hongkong Cottons, after sales at \$151, have advanced to \$16. Ciore Factories .- Sumatras have been

disposed of at Tls. 66. Missellancous,-Green Island Cements are unchanged at \$26 (old) and \$16 (new). Dairy Farms are enquired for at \$121. A. 'S. Watsons are still in demand at \$121. Hail and Holtz have, improved and are asked for at \$23. Shanghai Gas shares have been done at Tls. 112. Langka's have weakened and are in the market at Tis. \$247 }-

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Hon. Secretary. Hongkong Club, March 22, 1905. 600 WATKINS, LIMITED.

NUTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE SIXTH O'DINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Office No. 31, Queen's Road Central, on FRIDAY, the MACAO AND CANTON 31st Manon, 1905, at Noon for the purpase of receiving the Report of the General Manager with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1904.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com pany will be CLOSED from the 24th to the 31st March; both days inclusive. OHUN A FOOK, \ General

G. A. WATKINS, | Managers. Hongkoug, March 14, 1905.

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ATOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of this Company will be held DLUNKET'S GAP, THE PEAK at the HONGKONG HOTEL, Victoria, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the Thirty first | near the TRAM TERMINES TELEPHONE SE day of March, 1905, at Noon, when the Subjoined Resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 11th March, 1905, will be submitted for confirmation as a

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3. Subject to any direct-

ion to the contrary that may be given by the Meeting that sanctions the increase of capital all new shares shall be offered to the parties who on a date to be named by the Meeting shall be members in proportion to the existing shares held by them and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of shares to which the Member is entitled and limiting a time within which the offer if not accepted will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time or on the receipt of an intimation from the Member to whem such notice is given that he declines to accept the shares offered, the Directors may dispose of the same in such manner as they think most heneficial to the Company.

4. Except so far as is otherwise provided by the conditions of issue or by these presents any capita raised by the creation of new shares shall be considered part of the original ordinary capital and shall be subject to the provisions

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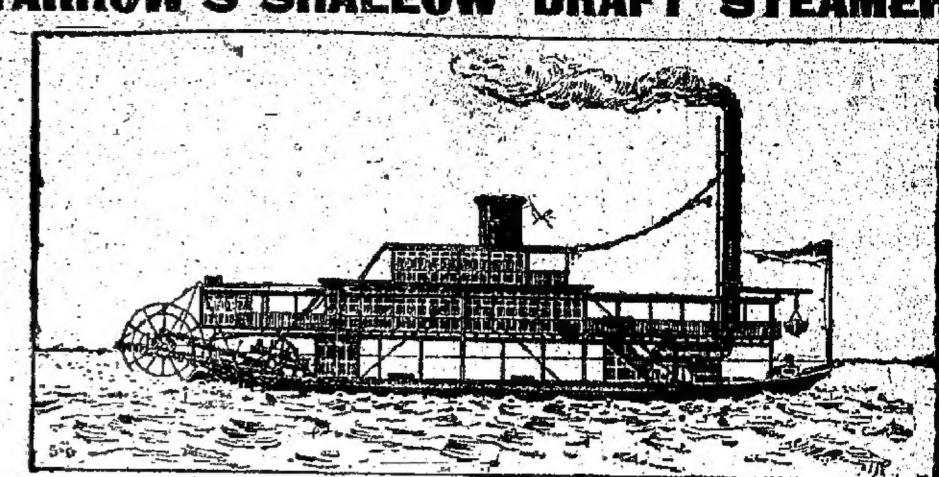


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niture, at No. 1, Gough Hill, the Peak. 1.3) p.m. Auction of Household Furniture &c., at No. 2, Gough Hill, the 2,45 p.m. -Auction of Pousehold Furni-

ture, at No. 11, Austin Avenue Kow-

3 p.m.-Auction of Crown Land at the

Public Works Department's Offices. Amusements. 9 pin. - Performance at City Hall.

Miscellancous. Goods per Toulin unchimed after this date at Noon will be subject to rent and landing charges. Goods per Bennense undelivered after this date subject to rent.

General Memoranda. Tuesday, March 28:-

12.30 p m. - Meeting of Hongkong Hotel Co., Ld., at Company's Hotel. ... 11 a.m-Auction of Good Lump Moj Coal, at Sam Yick Coal Storage Yard 2.45 p m .- Auction of Household Bur Goods per Trieste undelivered after this

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The China Mail.

HONORONO, BATCEDAY, MARCH 25, 1905.

CHINA'S CHARACTERISTICS.

THE ghastly drama enacted in Canton a few days ago, to which reference was made by our correspondent, reveals a weakness, of mental and moral development, to which no parallels can be discovered to-day in the civilisations of the West. It is true that the deeds of the Russian soldiery, done on the recent bloody Sunday in their capital, show that ferocity dwelk vet in the heart of men, when roused he ungovernable passion, or in view of a calamity which threatens to overwholm themselves. Apart from the excitement by which hundreds of lives were sucrificed, other deeds of torture have been recorded. But the civilisa. tion of Russin, except among the swallow doe- not make a summer: nor | masses, we have now no room to speak, ices one king hater make a republic. Facts such as we have outlined, should to the common people, are essentially the people of the West come to the fore. cruel and densely superstitions. There China, under the influence of Japan, are not wanting apologists for China will, perhaps at no distant date, be and her ways, who seek to minimise desirous that foreigners within her her crimes, and maximise her virtues. borders should relinquish exterritorial niture, &c., at No. 17, Seymour Road. Of these, perhaps, the most conspicuous privileges, and place themselves under mandarins, cannot hide the many out Chinese history in letters of blood. Pim:ets which indicate that the officials do not turn pale at suffering, nor lose their sleep at the agonies of others In fact, they are living representatives

of the Europe of the Dark Ages. The ascendency of "Humanism" in Italy, during the fourtrenth and diffeenth centuries was possible with the most callons indifference to the sufferings of others, with incessant robberies and serpetual bloodshed, and with appale ling crimes. It is well known that the Council of Constance, composed of the eream of the culture of the age, decreed that Wieliffe was a 'hardened heretie field butchers than to be scattered in atom about St. Petersburg by an anarchist' cliese body ought not to rest in consecrated ground ;-n sentence carried out twelve years later by the bishop of

Eincoln, who dug up his bones. Sigismund, the all-powerful emperor of Germany, and patron of learning, though he had given his word that Huss should be protected, if necessary by the mailed hand and the unsheathed sword, changed his attitude, forgot solemn pomise, and actually which readly the speech doomed the accused. One of the

preachers of the new learning, by his eloquence and by his earnestness, so moved the people of Rome, that they made bonfires of false hair, cosmelies, music, worldly books, and other articles of luxury, but he stood by and allowed the whole to be 'crowned by a living woman, who was burned as a witch. such are some of the deeds done aedieval Europe, by the votaries of culture, by men who could deliver Latin orations, and compose odes in imitation of Horace. The annals of China, to those who can read them without tinted spectacles, reycal the knife and the dagger ever bloody; the cup of poison ever standing mixed. To alien and relative alike death has heen meted out, when deemed necessary, without a qualm of conscience, or a quiver of muscle. One has only to take up a national biography of women to discover the same trait character. The chronicler, with stolid indifference, relates example example of widows who have become

illustrious simply because they have

committed suicide, often in the most

cruel way, on the death of their hus

bands. We can understand the beroism

of a woman, who prefers death by hel

the hand of her fees and these of he

own hand, to dishonour and torture at

because of suicide the reason for which it is often difficult to discover. Modern Communications intended for publication history reveals the same callous inshould be addressed to THE EDITOR, and difference to the value of human life and the keepness of human sufferings. On the morrow of the coup d'etat at Peking and in some of the provincial capitals, the heart-rending tortures perpetrated on the persons of patriotic reformers would be incredible were they not known to be true. The instances recorded in the native press of officials rushing forward to drink the blood of famous rebels, who were being executed, show the same tendency. The appalling misery of those who are incarcerated in native prisons, which appear at last to be shaming the central government, as is witnessed by the recent appointment of a commission to inquire thereinto, is also among the data which prove, Seyond all doubt, that the Chinese are still as callons to the sufferings of their fellow-mortals as was

> the emperor who built the great wall, or Europeans during the Dark Ages. Though here and there a gleam of light is piercing and penetrating the gloom of China, it cannot yet be said that, to any serious degree, 'Superstition, that horrid incubus, which dwelt in dark ness, shunning the light, with all its racks, its poisoned chalices, and foul sleeping draughts, is passing away without return.' The heart of a beast, so general both in high and low places, is

in many cases, the child of a dense superstition, and both parent and child go, and for some time, will continue to march hand in hand, and, like certain educated, in the larger cities, does famous twins, will refuse to be separated. not evoke the admiration of free and Of the superstitions which haunt the concated -peoples. Of course one minds of the Chinese, both classes and

But many facts go to show that Chi- be ' own, when, in the future, the Percy Hayde, in place of Mr Henry Dallas. nese officials and literati, not to refer relationship of China and her rulers to To-night the Company will stage . The Robinson Piano Company.

living example is Mr Ciles. But a wide | Chinese law. When this demand is to be performed by the band of the Hith acquaintance with Chinese literature, made, we shall do well to remember Mahratta Light. Infantry on the Parade

> not humourous, even though their humour | Song Under the Bamboo Tree! is of the grin type. They constituted Valse Thine Alone Mufeter friends, he had to disguise himself, change themselves into a Court in February and Selection ... 'Pounce' Audran murder. They found him guilty, of course. The sentence was death, and the Tsar duly awang in effigy from a gibbet in the front of the Central Meat Market. The butchers probably concluded that it was their 'pidgin' to hong the Tear in spirit if not in fact or the principle of 'poison kill poison.' It not on reord that a photograph was taken and forwarded to the Tear to show him how much better it is to be hanged by Smith

The man who advertises for a wife in th agony columns is seldom modest in his demands. He generally goes on the principle that if he must have s wife he might as well have one as near the standard perfect as possible whilst he is about it. Where he fails however, is in his neglect t give any of his own qualifications for the information of the ladies. What, it might at Southampton from the Cape on February be wondered, will the advertiser in th following case have to give in return for all he desires? - 'A Gentleman of birth, position, and means begs the honour to correspond with a Young Lady possessing the following in ster's Devenshire home. qualifications :- Gentle birth, kind and jolly disposition, musical and able to play all ordinary music without halts, pauses, and kerambles; spinster, about 20 years of age unimportant, but must be sleuder agure Subject of fortune need not be referred t lady did not possess a fiver, but she must be a lady of good family. Photos will returned post free no stamp need in any case be sent. The advertiser does not reside within 260 miles of Bristol-Address close the lists owing to the loan having Tailorman, care of Bristol Times and Mirror

Counterfeit Coin The two men charged before Mr F. A. Hareland, at the Magistracy yesterday afternoon, with having a large amount of counterfeit coin in their possession were both convicted. The first defendant was sentenced to six months gaol, stocks being wire remitted in consideration of information given by him to the police. The second after - man was sentenced to a similar term of imfurther term of six months gaol. The coin was ordered to be destroyed.

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LOCAL AND COAST NEWS

The military telephone from Kowlood and Stoneoutter's Island to Hongkong being re-constructed.

Dr F. W. Clark has been provisionally appointed an Official member of the Execu tive Council, vice Dr Atkinson, on leave,

Leave of absence on private affairs to ndia has been granted to Lieut C. H. R. Chesney, Royal Engineers, from 5th April to 5th June 1900.

at the Magistracy on Monday, at noon. The usual prayer meeting will be hold on Monday afternoon at 5.15 in the Lecture from of the European Y.M.C.A., Alexandra Buildings, and will be conducted.

The contract of 3 \ 000 barrels of comer for the Manila Government will fall to the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha if the material passes the test. The ir price was PS 90 whilst the Green I land was P3,993.

by the Rev. T. W. Pearce.

Mr J. Dyer Ball will lecture tomorrow (Sunday) night at 9 o'clock in the ciliator of Poland. Y. M. C. A. rooms, Alexandra Building on The dim religious light of Buddhism in China. All men are cordially invited.

New Grill Rooms. Mr Sam Newman announces the opening of his new silver Grill Rooms, 37 Des Voux Read. Bir Newman promises patrons every satisfaction. He has his premiers nicely arranged, and has above all, good cooks.

The Cingalea." The Dallas-Bandmann Opera Com pany gave an additional performance 'The Cingaleo' at the City Hall last night. The audience was fairly large, despite the inclement weather, and enthusiastically encored the many pretty songs. The part of Chambuddy Ram was catried out by Mr Orchid. The ballot-boxes for the two additional performances of the Company on Monday and Tuesday next are open at the

Music on the Parade Ground:

The following programme of music and a visiting intimacy with polished the facts which stand written through Ground on Monday next, from 5 to 6.3) COGRAMME.

> March Frangeza Costa The Smithfield butchers are nothing if | Selection ... 'The Messenger Boy' Kappay

COD SAVE THE KING.

A Robber Thrashed. Another case of pepper-throwing was reported to the police last night, which however, ended somewhat unusually. In this instance the robber entered a house at Mongkok, and, throwing pepper in a woman's eyes, snatched two bangles from her wrist. She called for help and her husband coming on the scene attacked and captured the robber. The husband used his fists to such good purpose during the encounter that on going to the Yaumati Police Station the robber complained of his mjuries and had to be sent to the hospital. 'He was charged at the Magistracy this morning, and re-

GENERAL NEWS. General Buller's Warhorse.

The troopship " Dunera," which arrived 10, brought home General Buller's charger, the animal which was shot in the neck, and which carried the General through the greater parts of the arduous campaign. horse will be sent to Crediton, and will spend the remainder of his days in his old

The Chinese Loan. The present demand for what are considered attractive investment stocks was shown by the extraordinary rush that hair, brown eyes, brown or grey height took place for the new Chinese Government Five per Cent, Gold Lean for £1,000,000. When at ien o'clock on Feb. 11 the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation as advertiser would not mind if the young in Lombard street opened its doors to raceive applications there was already a large number of applicants assembled, and to great was the crush that a force of police was necessary to keep the crowd back | war. The applicants continued to increase rapidly, and at eleven o'clock it was decided to been very largely oversubscribed.

> Deresir notes, of the face value of nearly £1000 were found in the house at Marske tenanted by an Octogenarian named Annie Duncalfe, who died after being removed as a pauper to the North Riding Asylum at

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It M. A. Clark, of Timberry Range B. W., Australia, writes : I wish to prisonment and in addition ordered to pay inform you of the wondefrul benefit I have a fine of \$937, with the alternative of a received from your valuable medicines. anflered f on a severe cough for six years and obtained no relief until I took Cham lain's Cough Remedy. One bottle cured me and I am thankful to say that I have never had the cough spee. Make any use of this lotter that you like for the good o any other poor sufferers. For alle by All Dealers Warring & CZ, Ltd. Coneral

CHINA MAIL'S EXCLUSIVE SPRVICE!]-SUPPLIED BY REUTER, THE BOMBAY.] [Received on March 24, at 11.30 p.m.]

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH APPROACHED.

Urged to Pacify the People.

Mr F. A. Hezeland will give his LONDON, March 24. reserved jadement in the case Water Police General Maximovitch, the new versus Messes Panchard, Lowther & Co. appointed Governor General of Wa saw, has arrived at that place.

> which, since 1831, has been unprace General Maximovitch also called on the Archbishop and requested the sup-

On his arrival he attended mass

port of the Catholic clergy in restoring order among the discontented people. The friendly attitude displayed by

the Governor General is regarded as an indication that the government at St. Petersburg intends to act as the con-

FATHER GAPON INTER VIEWED.

The Libre Parole publishes what purports to be an account of an interview with Father Gapon, who, the writer says, is in hiding in Paris. The story is in many is in hiding in Paris. The story is in many arrival here, on the morning of the Zech., respects vague; but this, the journal deche was ordered to proceed to Sagebo, Japan, clares, was necessary in order to avoid by Messrs Dodwoll and Company, the local giving a clue to the agitator's whereabouts.

ter's blous, began by giving his interviewer a long description of his life and labour among the St. Potersburg working classes. He spoke of the beginning of the general strike, and of the two iciters he wrote to the Tear. He was convinced, he said on getting no answer, that the Tear would receive the working men, and he therefore gave orders as to the manner In which they were to assemble from Vassily-Ostroff, Viborg, and the Varus Gate. He himself was at the head of his group, which arrived from the Varna Gata.

for another pope. Father Capon then explained how his men tried to pass on, and how two shots were fired from among his followers Alas! yes, he added that is true ; but they were probably fired by Government agents/ Again his men tried to pass, as he arged them onward, holding aloit his crucifix and a portrait of the Tsar. Then followed the terrible fusillade, and he felt as though be

had received a terrific blow on the shoulder

The report that he was at the Nicols

Bridge was incorrect, and those who thought

they saw him there must have mistaken him

with a whip. He fainted from the pain. In regard to Father Gapon's cacape, his interviewer writes :-*Father Gapon then related to me his terrible Odyssey. Dragged away by costumes several times a day, change his tried the Tan for marder—or permitting Idyl...... BlumangeflusterBlou face and after his looks, until finally be was able to cross the frontier through the forests, in company with amugglers. But he asked me not to give any details of his escape, for, if the police learnt the route,

they would easily discover who had given As to the future, Father Gapon said I shall await the course of events, ready to return to Russia if my presence can but use. But in the meantime I shall stay in hiding, for Nibilists are not the only persons in Russia who know how to suppress people scientifically; and it may be o use that I should continue to live."

Incurent Bervior

RUSSIA AND PERSIA. Loxbox, March 23, A Russian Consulate has been establish ed at Bandar Abbas, at the entrance to the

Persian Gulf.

ENGLAND AND JAPAN. More Stringent Alliance

Suggested.

A striking article has appeared in The Times, based upon a letter from its Tokio correspondent dated the 19th February wherein the viers of the Janinese on the alliance with Great Britain age enunciated. It declares that there is no danger o

British vacillation or weakness about excluding the interference of third parties at the final set lement of the war, and proceeds of Japaneso publicis a to transform the Hisnee into an agreement, absolutely hinding each to assist the other in the event of

The co-operation of the British Navy and use it with increasing frequency to send Japanese army wherever required would messages to distant friends, and regard its reduce the menace to China, Persia and was only to be expected from the past re-Alghanistan into perpetual impotence cords of this famous British North Atlantic The Times cannot yet determine whether steamship company. this is within the range of practical politics but is confident that if realizable, it wil

achieve a great and simed at. NEW RUSSIAN INTERNAL LOAN.

The agreement for the new Russian nternal loan has been signed to it issued at Hi and be redeemable in 50 years.

THE GERMAN EMPERORS VISIT TO THE

on a Liner for Listen, Tanger and

MEDITERBANEAN.

CORRESPONDENCE

SAVAGE LANDOR CRITICISED

(To the Editor of the CHINA MAIL) Sin, Some years ago I bought the enclosed book (Ching and the Allies by Sayage Landor) and, as I am well adquainted with Peking. I have been puzzling my brains about the plat of Peking as represented in it. Yesterday I met a friend who also has stayed some time in Peking and on putting our heads together we came to the conclusion that the plan is totally wrong, and should be something like as we have corrected it from memory in red ink on

page 18. Now, if Savage Landor's historical facts and porsonal Littleisus (vice General Chaffee), is equally untrustworthy I do not wonder at war correspondents being re-fused admittance to the lighting armies I have also read his last book about the Philippines and find it a very disappointing flying catalogue of islands, rivers, lakes and Datos (Chiefs), and it seems that the Roman Catholic Cathedral, an event all the American Officers kept in mind his former princisms and carried him, an to speak, on their hands. Anything about how the few American settlers down there fought their way to success or otherwise has leaves severaly alone, - Yours, with

Hongkong, March 25.

SEAMEN SENT TO GAOL.

Refusal to Go to Japan

Another case of a crew refusing to

proceed to Japan with a cargo of coal came before the Hon. Captain Barnes-Lawrence, at the Harbour Master's Court this morning, when the Captain of the steamer "Queen Eleanor" charged 18 of his crew with impeding the progress of the ship by refusing to proceed to a son

Captain Currie stated that the defendants had signed articles to proceed to anywhere between 75 North and 61 South Unagents. Between 3 and 4 o'clock the ship was ready to proceed to sea when the Father Gapon, who was wearing a pam- defendants came aft and asked to see him. They stated that having heard where the hip was going they refused to proceed as she was carrying contraband of war. He tried to nersuade the men that they were in the wrong, but they refused to alter their decision. To the Court the defendants said that they did not know they signed on that the ship was going to Japan.

His Wombin in summing up reasoned with the men as in previous cases of the and that have recently come before him. pointing out that by refusal to comply with the terms of their agreement they rendered themselves liable to punishment. If there was any reasonable danger to be apprehended from proceeding to Japan he would be the first to recognise it, but there was no greater danger attached to the trip that ordinarily attended a scalaring life. The knowledge that coal was considered to be contraband of war did not apply in their case as the coal was not intended for, or consigued to a belligerent power. It was for the port of Sasebo. The men having been given a chance to alter their decision and rejoin their ship refused to do so and wers ordered to be imprisoned for 12 weeks', and to be reshipped on board the Queen Eleanor" should an ereturn to port before the expiration of the sentence.

BY WHARF AND WAVE.

The Marine Court at Fremantie (W. A.) found, re the wreck of the "Orizaba, that Captain R. Archer committed an error of judgment in attempting to take his vessel over the Five Fathom Bank, where ane stranded instead of anchoring and obtaining the assistance of some person having local knowledge to extricate the vessel from her dangerous position. For this error Captain Robert Archer is consured and ordered to pay half the costs of the inquiry, which costs are hereby undered to

The fitting of the new Cunard steamer

Caronia: with the Marconi system of

wireless telegraphy will bring up the number of Cunard steamers equipped with the long distance installation to five, These vessels are the "Caronia," Campania; "Lucania," "Ecruria," and "Umbris. The following Cunard steamers are fitted with the short distance installation -Ivernia, "Saxonia," Carpathia, Citonia, Slavenia and Pamenia The first vessel of the fleet to be fitted with the long distance equipment was the "Campania," and the news service this received was incorporated in a daily occ newspaper, The Control Duly Bu This journal, which is now published alaily on all the North Atlantic, mail things of the fleet, contains 16 pages, and conduc-rently with the sailing of the "Expones" will be enlarged to 24 pages. There will be enlarged to 24 pages. There will no other daily newspaper published at sea, 2006. It is in keeping with the traditions of the Conard Line that they should be not only the pioneers of wireless telegraphy but also daily occane journalism. This phase of their enterprise is much appreciated by the travelling public, who do not care altogether to lose touch with the day's doings ashore during the ocean voyage. To such perfection has this system of etheric mesto discuss sympathetically the suggestion sages now attained that it has frequently happened that Cunard liners have, when in mid-ocean, been receiving practically simultaneously news items from Polhu in England and Cape Cod in the United States. Passengers too have ceased to wonder at this marvellous triumph of science. They

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THE WEATHER.

before they reached thero. Crossing the ferry about one o'clock there were a numpassed the news along, but it was received

risk losing \$25? Tlease yourself, was the reply of second, 'I'll take the chances and stay

They parted and after tiffin met on the raturn journey, the suspicious one being in regimentals. At the Forry Wharf h saw a CHINA MAIL extra and found that the inspection had been postpoped and was then made butt of manys quips and Others more trusting, remained

The Hongkong Reserve Association also postponed the rifle shooting which was to The School Sports have also been post-

CHINA AND MANILA STEAM SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED

General Meeting.

The twenty-second ordinary general meeting of the China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited, was held at the offices of the General Managers, Messra Shevan, Tomes and Company, at 11 a.m. to-day.

Hon. Mr R. Shewan was in the chair and there were also present Messrs N. A. Gordon, A. Babington, G. Moffatt, G. Somerville and W. A. Stopani (secretary).

and take the report and accounts, which lender of the party-the possessor of a have been in your hands for sometime, as tenor of superb quality and besuty were read. You will see from the Accounts that | the gentlemen soloists and it is needless to instead of the debit balance last year of say that they were compelled to return; \$63,123.66 we have this year a balance at Mr Dudley Causton supplied the humour credit of Frofit and Loss Account of giving a laughable sketch, which evoked an \$38.107.70, out of which, in deference to encore. If Mr Causton would speak more the wishes of shareholders, although under distinctly, however, he would be better the circumstaness we could not ourselves appreciated. The 'Catches' by Messrs recommend it; it is proposed to pay a Fraser, Haubof and Llewellyn were also Dividend of \$1 per share, absorbing quaintly humourous, and had the added \$21,275 which, after placing \$5,000 to advantage of being strikingly well sung. Reserve Fund as required by the Articles | When the party returns from the north of Association, will leave \$8,832 70 to the | they should draw crowded houses. credit of the new account for 1905. You will also observe that the new steamers "Rubi" and "Zafiro" have left a fair profit of nearly \$160,000, while the old boat the "Perla" made a loss of nearly \$30,000 The "Perla" has been sold and the policy which we adopted in building those two modern passenger steamers and getting rid of the old and small cargo boats is now fully vindicated by the results shown. The in the Philippines the nature of the trade between here and Manila has completely changed. Formerly we depended upon principal revenue, but Chinese are now more or less excluded from these islands. and we have to depend upon foreign eargo Cargo from Hongkong has been fairly plentiful throughout the year, but the supply of connage has been excessive, and rates of freight have in consequence been kept down. From Manila to Hongkong on the other predecessor this time last year

We have had to write off a large amount we not departed from that rule during the last three years we should not have had this number being 12. learnt is that depreciation goes on whether we ignore it or not, and that sooner or later reduction in capital has been effected eatisfactorily, and the only comment I have to make on that is that it will enable us to save some \$12,000 a year insurance, which you will agree with me is an important economy. Interest paid rather less but the Company's debt to its bankers is still high, and must be reduced before we can expect larger dividends. On the whole our prospects seem better than they have been for sometime past. Our bosts are the favourites in the trade and can hold their own with any and with care, good fortune in the matter of accidents and strict attention to keeping down expenses consistent with efficiency we should be able to lay before you a still better report next year. Before moving the adoption of the report and accounts I shall be pleased to

answer any questions. There being no questions the Chairman moved the adoption of the report and accounts as presented. Mr Siebs seconded and the m tion was

Mr Gordon moved the re-election Messrs N. A. Sieba, D. E. Brown, H. P. White and A. V. Apcar to the Consulting

Messrs T. Arnold and W. H. Potts were re-elected auditors on the motion of Mr state of affairs is regrettable, but it is not Apear, seconded by Mr White.

The Chairman-Dividend warrants be ready on Monday morning. That is all the business, gentlemen.

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by M Figg of the Hongkong Observatory:-On the 25th at 12.20 p.m. The barome ter has fallen over China and NE Japan. Pressure is highest over E Japan, and low area is probably forming over China. the China coast and over the I part of th

China Sea. Forecast :- variable winds, moderate rainy at first, probably improving later. Returns from the Philipppines and the greater port of the China coast are lacking.

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THE WESTMINSTER GLES PARTY.

Volunteer Inspection Postponed. Owing to the inclemency of the weather the Westminster Glee Party at the City Rifle Brigade, writes to the Times :ber of Volunteers, one of whom had been which characterised their rendition, and it founded, and, if so, to what extent. advised of the postponement. He, in turn. is not to be wondered at that the audience grew enthusiastic and called for the re-'I'll attend, anyhow', said one 'I won't potition of almost every item. The charming madrigal 'This pleasaunt Montho to hear and there was no disappointment So careful has been the training of the whole body that in the part songs and glees. George's Rides holder of short range sto, the voices swept through the register without losing tungfulness or power, or | second for the St. George's Vace, I effectiveness. Taken as a winde the perfore marked by melody of a high order. They were heard to advantage in Gentle Spring for which they were encored enthusias unteer Rifles-Silver and Bronze N. R. A. tically and convinced the auditors that they are capable of fine singing. The adults, of course have, by experience and training, greater control over their voices than have the boys over theirs, and there is no comparison between them. That remark. however, does not detract from the merit of the juniors. The only lady of the company is Madame Marie Hooton, the possessor of a highly cultivated contraits of fine quality of tone. She was warmly en- issue. cored for her singing of 'A Russian Love Siebs, H.-P., White, A. V. Apcar, A. G. Song, and Down the Burn - a beautiful arrangement by Mr Branscombo beauti-Mr Stopaul read the notice convening fully rendered-and willingly responded, Mr Sterndale Bennett, who has a robust The Chairman-Gentlemen, with your base of rare scope and power and teneful-Branscomba-the

THE PRISON.

The Gaol Population.

In the ourrent issue of the Government Gazette the report on the Victoria Gaol for fact is that with the change of government 1004 is published, and it demonstrates the pressing need for additional prison accommodation. During the year there was a Chinese cargo and the coolie trade for our general increase, though slight, in the numher of prisoners admitted, the figures being 1903 From ordinary Courts 7,144; from sight. and saloon passengers for our income. Courts Martial 74; debtors 55; total 7273. 1914 From ordinary Courts 7305; from Courts Marial 65 : debtors 64 : to al 7464. Almost half this number - 3288 - were hand the scarcity of cargo depicted by sentenced for offences net of a criminal nature, such as, breaches of the Opium, continued throughout 1904, thought I am Gambling, Vehicle, Market and Arms glad to say there has been an improvement is this respect lately. Ordinances, drunkenness, vagrancy, tres-The Accounts require no special explanation. passing, disorderly conduct, tree outling, for depreciation, but this only proves the fighting, mendicancy, etc. Floggings were wisdom of our former policy of writing administered in 103 cases, the strokes off depreciation regularly every year. Had varying in number from 4 to 24, the general

large amount to write of now. The leson One of the encouraging features about any given object because the sights of the the report is the decrease in the numbers of we have to recken with it, no matter how prisoners admitted with previous conwe try to shut our eyes to the fact. The victions against them. Although the decrease only amounts to about 3.68 per cent., it indicates that the use of the stocks and the bunishment of convicted criminals is having a good effect, an effect which we would like to see redoubled. Discipline | teaching recruits on the range and render in the gaol has also shown an upward tendency, as a glance at the appendices as, talking, idling, short oakum picking, ere, or ly amounted to 540 in 1904, as against 128) in the preceding year, while there were only 24 cases of fighting or assaulting each other or the officers of the flash could be seen. It is almost needless Gaol, as compared with 56 in 1903. This too, with a higher percentage of prisoners daily. The highest number of prisoners incarcerated on any one day was 834, the average for the year being 726 per day. To accommodate this large number

prisoners in the Gaol it was found neces Mr Babiogton seconded and the motion sary to utilise the corridors, as many as 300 prisoners being billeted there. This new. The need for an enlarged prison, or for more effective preventive measures, has been referred to time after time. being so much nearer together, accuracy in daily average of 726, over three hundred had to be provided for in corridors! And ill-balanced. yet there is plenty of room for an additional prison, if not on the island, then on the been accustomed to handle rifles of all sorts mainland. The authorities, unless they bestir themselves to cope with the situation Gradients are apparently slight along promptly, will find themselves in an awkward predicament should an outbresk of plague or any other infectious disease occur in the Gaol in its present overcrowded state. During last year even the

> prisoners installed in the hospital itself. year totalled \$33,507.79, and the actual cost of their maintenance amounted to \$70.064.84-an average annual cost of 2104.77 per prisoner.

Hospital Store rooms had to he used as

Association wards, and we will soon find

TRIAL OF THE NEW SHORT RIFLE

Those who braved the elements to hear | Capt. E. D. Johnson, of the London the annual inspection of the Hongkong Hall last night were fully recompensed for Sir, So many views have already been Volunteers which was to take place to-day their trouble and the discomfort suffered expressed by various correspondents i was postponed until Saturday, April 15. by the highly artistic performance given by your columns in regard to the merits of salary. Despite the wet, however, a large number the choristers from England. Seldom has the new short rifle that certain well-known of Volunteers who had not received notice Hongkong had an opportunity to hear wife shots, whose pames I mention below, turned out and went towards Headquarters, such unalloyed harmony such skilled and | decided to carry out a practical test in in most cases hearing of the postponement tuneful handling of voices. The old songs order to ascertain whether the theoretical were given a new justre by the cocal purity compliants advanced against it were well

The party consisted of the following:-1. Major Richardson, 2nd V.B. Northumberland Fusiliers - captain of the English International team; holder of record

Capt. Varley (H), instructor of Maie, by the gentlemen of the party | minsketty Honograble Artillery Companyprepared those present for what they were | winner of Wimbledon Cup Service Rifle; United Services team (Volunteers), 19 4; Mackippon toam, England, 1934. 3. Lieut. Pixley (H), Victoria and St.

4. Lieut, Collier, London Rifle Brigads Armourer-Sergt, Fulton, Queen' mance was superly. The boys have partious Westminster Volunteer Rifles-winner of

record score, 1934 (16),

larly clear enunciation and their singing is Queen's Prize St. George's Vase twice Grand Aggregato Gold Cross; Duke 6. Private Gray, London Scottish Vol

> 7. Private Skilton, London Rifle Brigade -champion of Middlesex twice running 1895 and 1896; Mackinnon team, England 19 4; and Kolapore team, mother coun-

In addition, all the above have represent ed their country in international matches. In case it may be urged that the above are " Bisley" shots only, it may be at once said that all have at one time or another been winners in the various competitions in which snap shooting is essential; and they are well able to judge of the points at

The ritles tried were :-(a) Three new shot rifles.) The old long rifle, of which each man

(c) Three old long rifles fitted with the Peddie" wind gauge sight, so that the long barrel should be on equal tenms with the short rifle in this respect. The "Peddie" sight was used because i

was the only wind-gauge sight already fitted to the long barrel which could be obtained at short notice. fitted with wind-guage sights were new of transacting any other business which we pons, and, therefore, those who carried out the tests had no previous knowledge of Meeting.

their shooting capacities. The ammunition was specially selected by the King's Norton Ammunition Company, and was of strictly Government inclusive. specification, and not that made specially

for long-range practice. The test was carried out on the 11th inst. at Bisley, and the ranges selected were Eight hours before the Meeting. 200, 600, and 800, yards.

As many trial shots were taken as proved necessary, and, when the correct sighting was obtained, a series of seven shots was fired by all (with two exceptions at 809 yarde) with each rifle at each range, and, in order to ensure equality of conditions, the firing was conducted by groups of three men, a rifle of each pattern being used eimultaneously.

At the close of the trials, which lasted all day, it was found that in the unanimous opinion of all, the rifles took the following order of merit :-1. The long barrel litted with wind-gauge

2. The long barrel as issued without the

3. The new short rifle. All those taking part in the test are April, 1900, with two steamers. agreed on the following conclusions :-1. That the new rifle is badly balanced,

This is due to the facts that a considerable amount of wood has been bored out of chow; tri-monthly service, commencing from the butt in order to decrease the weight of orth April, 1905, At Amoy connection is the rifle, and that the additional weight of made with the Company's regular steamers 1905. the wooden cover to the fore-end, together for Formosa and other Ports. with the heavier metal nose-cap, all tend to throw the balance further forward.

2. That far from being likely to prove better snap shooting arm, it would casier to fire quickly with the long rifle short rifle are not adapted to quick-firing, the front sight being too small and greatly interfered with by the enormous protect ing flanges on each side.

The fact that the adjusting screws of the back-sight did not work well was felt to be more a matter of detail and workmanship. 3. That the recoil was considerably. heavier than in the long-barrelled rifle, and would greatly add to the difficulties in

it more tiring. 4. That the accuracy of the rifle as a weapon of precision is appreciably diminat ached to the report will prove. Reports I ished, for all experience the same difficulty against prisoners for trivial offences, such in keeping the series of shots within the small limits of angle obtainable with both the long barrelled rifles omployed.

5. The trials lasted all day, and as evenling approached (but before sundown) all noticed the great flash of flame from the short barrel, whereas with the long rifle ne to point out the advantages derived by an enemy armed with a rifle not only superior as regards accuracy, but one which would not produce large flashes when fired dull weather, and which would not consequently prove a serious obstacle concealment and cover.

6. As a weapon for the cavalry the short rifle is an advance on the carbine, to which, in their opinion, it is superior.

These gentlemen went down to the range with perfectly open minds to conduct a practical test on the fairest lines possible; As a result they are unanimous in condemning the reduction in length of barrel, not only because the barrel itself is rendered well-wishers, they found it inhandy and

In conclusion, I submit that the testimony of these expert marksmen, who have and kinds, may be of some value in corroborating those so ably expressed in the article by your correspondent.

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THE TWENTY-FIRST ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHARE. HOLDERS in the Company will be held in the COMPANY'S OFFICE, ST GEORGE'S BUILDING, No. 6, Commught Road, Vicon SATURDAY, 8th April, 1905, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the General Managers for the year ending from 9 A.M. to 4.30 P.M. each day. Stat December, 1904, declaring a Dividence and electing a Consulting Committee and

. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Compary will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY. 5th to SATURDAY, the 8th April, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, March 25, 1903.

THE YANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIFTEENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above Association will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, No. 28, The Bund, Shanghai, on TUESDAY, the 11th April, 1905, at 4 30 o'clock r m, precisely, for presentation of the Report of the Directors and Auditors The short rifles and also the long rifles for the current year, and for the purpose may be transacted at an Ordinary General

> The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Association will be CLOSED from the lat of April to the 11th of April, 1905, both days Members holding proxies for absent Shareholders must deposit same with the Secretary for Registration at least Forty-

By Order of the Board of Directors, W. S. JACKSON,

Shanghai, March 15, 1905.

NOTICE.

SHOSEN KAISHA

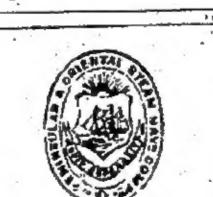
THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA beg to announce the OPENING of New Regular Steamship Services as follows :-(1) Between Hongkong and Shanghai, via Swatow, Amoy and Foochow; trimonthly service, commencing from 4th

At Shanghai, connection is made with the Company's regular steamers for Yangtane the weight being too much at the muzzle River Ports, as well as with the steamers for North China Ports, (2) Between Tamsui, Amoy and Foo-

> For particulars of steamers and proposed sailing dates see separate Advertisement, As soon as conditions permit, the present steamers on the lines will be replaced by new and up-to-date steamers.

Manager. Hongkong, March 25, 1965.

T. ARIMA.



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and Tea for London (under arrangement, will be transhipped at Colombo into the mail less accurate not only because, the sights steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and Loudon; other cargo for London, &c., will o'clock in the forescon, has been fixed for At present the need is very scate; out of a siming is more difficult to obtain, but also Culedonia, due in London on the 20th May, named Debtors at the Supreme Court.

Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are For further Particulars, apply to

L. S. LEWIS. Acting Superintendent. Hongkong, March 25, 1905.

> SIR ROBERT HARTS MEMORANDUM.

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ARTHUR CHAPMAN.

Business Manager. Hongkeng, March 25, 1906.



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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

Notice of Receiving Order and First Meeting of Greditors. No. 17 of 1900. Re James Chargie, lately trading as

Horer, Shaukiwan Road, in the Colony of Hongkong. Receiving Order dated the 28th day of Petition dated the 28th day of February

Hotel Proprietor at THE METROPOLE

TIRIDAY, the 31st day of March, 1905. I at 12 o'clock at noon; precisely, has been fixed for the First General Meeting of Creditors in the above matter, to be held at the Official Receiver's Office, Land Office, Queen's Road Central, Victoria

No Oreditor can vote unless he previously proves his debt. Forms of Proof and proxy can be obtain

ed at the Official Receiver's Office during At the First General Meeting, the Mr Creditors will be asked to consider whether the Debenr shall be adjudged Bankrupt or

a proposal for Composition or Scheme of Arrangement. Notice of Public Examinations.

whether they, the Creditors, will entertain

No. 10 of 1905. Re The Wing YEE firm, lately trading at No. 44. Wing On Street. Vic-

toria, in the Colony of Hongkong. as Dealers in Old Iron. No. 13 of 1905;

R: Ho San lately trading as Hor YECK CHAS at the Hop Yick Godowns, Des Yosux Road West, Victoria aforessid, as Godown Keeper. No. 14 of 1905.

Re-Wong CHEE alias Wong YUT MAN and the Wine Luxe firm, lately trading at No. 195 ... Wing Lok Street, Victoria aforesaid, as Rice Dealers.

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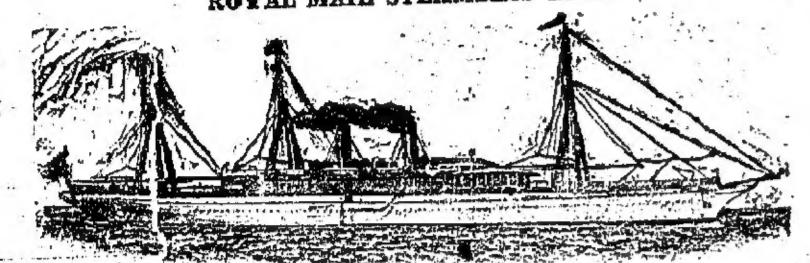
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SUNDAY, 9th

Capt. H. HARALDSEN, April, at 7 a.m. AND AMOY, N account of the present state of political affairs, all the Company's new Steamers have been requisitioned for Transport Service, and the above named charterep Steamers have been secured instead for maintenance of the Company's Coastal Services. As soon as the state of Affairs permit the Company will resume running with its specially designed new Steamers.

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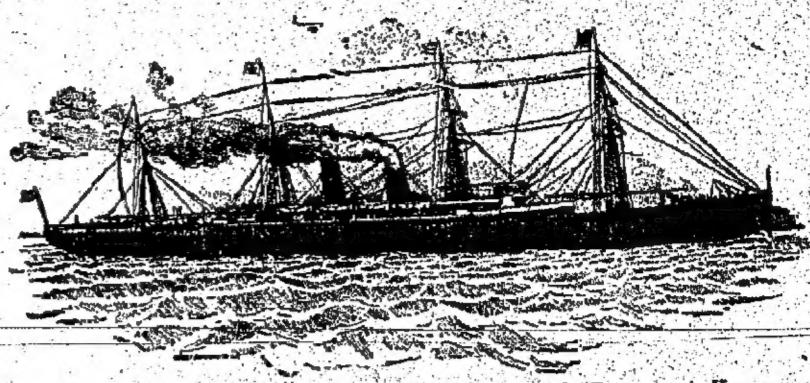
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General Managers, Hongkong, March 20, 1905.

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TUESDAY,

the 28th March, 1905, at 11 A.M., at SAN YICK COAL STORAGE YARD, Mongkok, -2,980 Tons or . GOOD LUMP MOJI COAL (in Good Order and Condition), in Lots of 100 Tons cach.

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Hongkong, March 23, 1905.

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tions to Sell by Public Auction, TUESDAY,

28th March, 1905, commencing at 2.45 P.M., at No. 17, SEYMOUR ROAD,-A QUANTITY OF

VALUABLE HOUSEROLD FURNITURE, Comprising :-HATSTAND with BEVELLED MIRBOR. MARRIE TOP SIDEBOARD with MIRROR DINKER WAGGON, EXTENSION DINING TABLE, LEATHER COVERED DINING CHARS.

OVERMANTELS, DINNER SET, CARPERS, and PICTURES, de, &c. BRASS MOUNTED IRON BEDSTEADS, MAR-DIE TOP BUREAU with BRUELLED MIRROR, MARGLE-TOP WASHSTAND with TILED BACK; TOILET SLIB, WARDROSES, &C. &C. AMERICAN ICE CHEST and PANTRY RE-

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from Paster TH. KRIELE to Sell

by Public Auction, WEDNESDAY. the 29th March, 1905, commencing at 2.46 P.M., at his residence 'FAIRVIEW

Robinson Road, Kowlcon,-THE WHOLE OF HIS VALUABLE HOUSEHOL

FURNITURE. Comprising !-PLUSH COVERED DRAWING ROOM SCITE, TABLES, LACE CURTAINS, CARPETS BOOK-

CASYS, & C., &C. EXTENSION DINING TABLE, DINNER WAGGONS, W. ITING DESK, OVERMANTELS, de de BRASS DOUNTED BEDSTEADS BRASS MOUNTED COT, WARDROBES with BEVELLED MIRBOR, TOILET TABLES. MARCLE TOP WASHSPANDS with THEO BACK, LEATHER COVERED BEDROOM SUITE, &c., &c. BATHROOM PANTRY and KITCHEN RE-

One Corrace Piano, by W. Robinson

Tennes :- As customary On View from Tuesday, the 28th March. GEORGE STAMMERT. Hongkong, March 22, 1905.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

MHE Undersigned have received instructions from O. A. Tomes, Esq., to Sell by Public Auction,

MONDAY. the 27th March, 1905, at L.39 P.M., within his Residence, No. 2, Govon Hill, The Peak,-

THE WHOLE OF HIS VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD. FURNITURE

THEREIN CONTAINED. SILE TAPESTRY-COVERED DRAWING ROOM SCITE, TEAKWOOD OVERLIATTELS with BEVELLED GLASS, CANTON BLACKWOOD WARE, TEAK WOOD EXTENSION DINING TABLE and CHAIRS, BRUSSELS, and TIENTSIN CARPETS and Rugs, HANGRAI COR-TAINS, BRASS BEUSTEADS with WIRE and HAIR MATTRISSES, PICTURES, TEAKWOOD WARDROBES with BEVEL-LED GLASS, MARRIE - TOP BUREAU with BEVALLED CLASS, MARBLE TOP WASH-STANDS, MARRIE BATH TUES, &c., &c.,

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THE Undersigned have received instruc L. tions from C. A. Tones, Esq., to Sell

MONDAY, the 27th March, 1905, at 1.30 P.M., within his residence, No. 1, Goven Hitt, The Peak,-

THE WHOLE OF HIS VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Therein Contained.

Comprising :-SILK TAPESTRY-COVERED DRAWING ROOM SUITE, TEAKWOOD OVERMANTELS with BE-VELLED GLASS, CANTON BLACKWOOD WARE, TEARWOOD EXTENSION DINING TABLE and CHAIRS, BRUSSEL'S and TIENTSIN CARPETS and Ruos, SHANGHAI CURTAINS, BRASS BEDSTEADS W h WIRE and HAIR MAT-TRESSES, PICTURES, TEAKWOOD WARDRONES with BEVELLED GLASS, MARBLE-TOP BUREAU with BEVELLED GLASS, MARBLE-TOP WASH-STANDS, MARBLE BATH TUES, &c., &c., &c.;

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ment, &c., &c. Communications please address to Mr Tan Seno. Also, every kind of Building Materials for Sale. Hongkong, March 23, 1905.

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St. John's Cathedral. 3ED SUNDAY IN LENT. Holy Communion (7.30,a.m.)

Matine (11 a.m.) Responses, Ferial; Venite, Reinagle Psalms, Baker, Armes, Greene, Hel-more; Benedicite, Ward in A; Jubilate, Ouseley in O; Anthem, 'Lord for Thy tender mercics' sake. rant ; Hymns, 01, 338.

Evensong (5.45 p.m.):—Responses. Ferial; Pealms, Barnby: Magnificat, Mornington (28th M.); Nunc Dimittis, Foster in F Sharp min.; Hymns, 261, 172, 266; Vesper Hymn, Ward No. · 1; Voluntarios, Offertoire in D. min. -Batiste. Prayer and Cradle Song .-Giulmant.

Union Church, Kennedy Road. 11 a.m. Worship :- Sanctus 232, Hymn 122, Psalm 146, 'Anthom' Teach me O Lard. Hymn 204, Hymn 127.

12 noon :- Communion around the Lord's Tuble. 4 p.m.: -Sunday School at Union Church and in the British School, Kowloon.

5.90 p.m.:-Singing in Church. 6 p.m. Worship:-Hymns 158, 204, 509, 273, 617, 7 p.m.:-After Meeting for Praise and

Thursday 9 p.m.:-Literary Club-Mock Parliament open to the public. Friday 7.30. p.m .: - Christian Endeavour Society, Subject :- Food for High

Wosleyan Methodist Church, Wanchai. Morning : -10.15 a.m. Evensong :- 6 p.m.

St. Peter's Church, Queen's Road

THIRD SUNDAY IN L NT. Morning Prayer 11. Venite, Cooke; To Daum, Lawes; Jubi late, Haves: Hymns, 172, 92, 113

Evening Prayer Magnificat, Gose : Nune Dimittie, Crotch Hymns, 273, 170, 281, 10. Holy Communion (7.45 p.m.)

The Church launch Dayspring will call on the ships carrying white crows to bring friends ashore to the services between 9.15 and 10.30 s.m., and between 5.15 and 6 p.m. (Kowloon Police Pier-16.30 and 6), returning afterwards. The answering pennant is the 'call flags All the sittings are free and unappropriated Visitors welcomo, Hymn Books, &c., provided. Sunday School :- 10-10.45 a.m.

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Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

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The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Tarlar left Vancouver for Hongkong, via the usual ports of call, on Tuesday, the 7th March, p.m. The Boston Co.'s s.s. Tremont arrived at Yokohama on 22nd March. The O. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Agamemnon left Singapore on the 22nd March, at day-The Mogul Line s.a. Atholl, from Glasgow

and Liverpool, sailed from Singapore on the 21st March, for this port. Lates . Advices The Austrian Lloyd's s.s. Marquis Bacquehem left Shanghai for this port on the 24th March. Crane, Congrieve, C. R. Tozer and Cronin. The O. S. K. s.s. B. Bjernson left Tamsui, via Swatow and Amoy, on the 24th March, and is expected here on 29th

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CONNAUGHT HOUSE. 23rd March, and left again at 2.30 Mr W. Ascherson Mr D. K. Mayor she is due to arrive at 7 p.m. on Sa- Mr A. W. Beard Mr R. Menashih Eng. Lt. and MrsMr A Mercier Mr H. Emery Miller the 28th February, left Singapore on Mr and Mrs J. DallasMiss O'Brien Thursday, the 23rd March, at 6 p.la., Mr E. Eden Mr W. T. Parker Mr and Mrs H. EyreMr A. Phillips Mr R. M. Ezekiel Mr R. M. Prithe Mr Farrers Miss Reeves Mr and Mrs Garton' Mr Otto Kong Sing Mr H. H. Stanley Mr Gearon Miss T. D. Grattan Miss Straoban Mr Hackett Mr A. W. Taylor Mr C. Templeman Mr A. Haimon Mr J. Hanson and children Mr and Mrs Vallance Mr H. M. Hobbins Mr J. E. Joseph Mr G. L. Waldron Capt. F. J. Watson Miss Kemp Mr Lee Mr M. Webb Bowen Mr V Longman Mr Williams

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